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## MESSAGE REACHES CONGRESS TODAY

Contents Well Known Before It Was Received

Income and Inheritance Taxes, and Many Reforms Recommended—Full text.

## SESSION DOWN TO BUSINESS

Washington, Dec. 4.—President Roosevelt's message was received by both houses of congress in session at noon today. The message is voluminous and covers every matter of public business likely to come to the attention of congress. Most of the salient features have been mentioned before.

### Nominations Made.

Seven cabinet changes and one appointment to the supreme court bench were sent to the senate by President Roosevelt, but they are not confirmed immediately, in accordance with the general custom concerning such important nominations. It is said that there is no opposition to the appointees and to the nomination of Attorney-General William H. Moody to be associate justice of the supreme court.

The important nominations follow: Secretary of the Treasury—George B. Cortelyou.

Attorney-General—Chas. J. Bonaparte.

Postmaster-General—George L. VonMeyer.

Secretary of the Navy—Victor H. Metcalf.

Secretary of the Interior—James R. Garfield.

Secretary of Commerce and Labor—Oscar S. Strause.

Associate Justice Supreme Court—William H. Moody.

Oscar R. Handley, of Alabama, to be United States attorney for the northern district of Alabama.

Civil Service Commissioner—John A. McLeamy, of Louisiana.

Interstate Commerce Commissioners—Edgar E. Clark, of Iowa; James S. Harland, of Illinois; Judson C. Clements of Georgia.

Officials of the United States Court for China—Judge, L. R. Wilfey, of Missouri; district attorney, Arthur Bassett, of Missouri; marshal, O. R. Leonard, of Michigan; clerk, E. E. Hinckley, of California.

Minister to Panama—Herbert C. Squiers, of New York.

Secretaries of Embassies—Spencer F. Eddy, of Illinois, at Berlin; T. P. Dodge, of Massachusetts, at Tokio.

Second Secretaries of Embassies—G. P. Whealock, of Washington, at Tokio; Paxton Hibben, of Indiana, at Mexico.

Consul-General—William P. Kent, of Virginia, at Guatemala.

Consuls—George A. Bucklin, Jr., of Oklahoma, at Glauchau, Saxony; A. W. Brickwood, Jr., of Arizona, at Puerto Cotes, Honduras; J. G. Carter, of Georgia, at Tamatave, Madagascar; H. L. Harris, of Illinois, at Smyrna; W. L. Lowrie, of Illinois, at Weimar, Germany.

Circuit Judge Third Judicial District—Joseph Buffington of Pennsylvania.

United States Attorney—John Embry of Oklahoma; O. R. Hundley, Northern district of Alabama.

Marshal—C. C. Duson, Western district of Louisiana.

Receiver of Public Moneys—A. N. Kennedy, at New Orleans.

Collector of Customs—Henry McCall, New Orleans.

Supervising Inspector of Steam Vessels, Fourth District—J. J. Dunn, Kentucky.

Paymaster-General of the Navy and Chief Bureau of Supplies and Accounts—Eustace B. Rogers.

Postmasters—Alabama—W. J. Leppert, Camden, Arkansas—Tillie J. Bruce, Piggott; J. A. Harper, Rector, New Mexico—Al Breeding, Mexico, Tennessee—W. J. Wells, Loudon, Texas—A. C. Nagus, Mesquite; D. Herbert, Commerce; C. F. Smith, Kerens; G. A. Pannowitz, Shiner.

The President's Message.

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### NEW GUN CLUB

Will Be Organized to Use Fair Ground Range.

### PIPE FOR COACH OF HIGH SCHOOL

### IN RECOGNITION OF HIS GOOD WORK THIS SEASON

### BASKET BALL ORDERED AND THREE TEAMS

Will Compete for Local Honors.

### GIRLS WILL ORGANIZE, TOO.

In recognition of his excellent services as coach, the Paducah High school football team, champions of western Kentucky, will this afternoon present Roseo Reed, son of Circuit Judge W. M. Reed, with a handsome meerschaum pipe. The decision was reached at a meeting of the High School Athletic association held yesterday afternoon.

This afternoon, after dismissal of school, Joe Cook, of the firm of Riley & Cook, will take a photograph of the football team. The coach will be in the line. Captain Felix St. John will present the pipe.

### BASKETBALL TEAM.

While no basketball team was organized among the High school boys yesterday afternoon, preliminary steps towards organization were taken and a fine Spaulding basket ball ordered. As soon as it arrives the boys will compete for team membership. The idea is to organize at least three teams. These teams will compete for championship of the school. When outside teams are played the best in the three teams will be selected to represent the school.

The girls of the High school will organize and practice when the basketball arrives. Last year the girls' High school basketball team defeated Cairo and challenges will be issued to the sister city again this season.

### HAS GOOD BOND.

Albert Gary, rural mail carrier, of Mayfield, indicated at the November term of federal court for holding out \$10 too long, is in the city today. Among the prominent Mayfield men on his bond are: W. S. Lockridge, J. W. Ridgeway, B. S. Bowden, J. H. Williams and W. E. Norman. He has with him power of attorney from those he will offer as a bond.

### HOME AFTER MANY YEARS.

Robert B. Smith, formerly of Mayfield, and former governor of Montana, is the guest of Attorney Hal S. Corbett, of this city. He is en route to Mayfield after an absence of many years. Last night his brother-in-law, Attorney Sam Crossland, of Mayfield, came to Paducah to meet him.

### PERSISTENCE REWARDED.

By perseverance Patrolman Thad Terrell and James Brennan arrested Ed Williams, colored, this morning. The negro is charged with malicious cutting and had been dodging the police since Saturday night. The prisoner cut Ed Burress, colored, in the head and on the left arm.

### CHILD-SLAYER UNBALANCED.

Lexington, Ky., Dec. 4.—Mrs. Etta Griffith, 19 years old, is confined in the county jail under conviction of the murder of her 15-months-old child last summer. She was judged of unsound mind today and sent to the Eastern Kentucky Insane asylum.

### POLITICIAN A FORGER.

Fargo, N. D., Dec. 4.—J. S. Murphy, of Minot, N. D., charged with forging county road warrants, was convicted today. Murphy had been a leader in politics in this state for a score of years, until defeated in his own county two years ago.

### TERRY McGOVERN INSANE.

New York, Dec. 4.—Terry McGovern, former champion lightweight of the world, became suddenly crazed in the Neighborhood Home today. He had a big loaded shell in his pocket. McGovern was taken to the Fiat Bush asylum for the insane.

### SPARK

### FROM LABORER'S CANDLE DROPPED INTO CAN OF POWDER.

New York, Dec. 4.—A spark from a candle carried by a laborer dropped into a can of gun powder and caused an explosion among workmen in the Pennsylvania railroad tunnel under the East river tonight. Three men were killed outright, one fatally and 12 others slightly injured. The damage to the works was small.

### PLANE HOME IN PARIS.

New York, Dec. 4.—So sure is Mrs. Harry K. Thaw of the acquittal of her husband at his forthcoming trial for the murder of Stanford White that she is already negotiating for the purchase of a house in Paris, where the Thaws will take up a permanent residence.

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## KENTUCKY PAYS UNCLE SAM WELL

Furnishes One-Tenth The Internal Revenue.

Illinois, New York and Indiana Only Lead Commonwealth—Some Statistics.

MONEY TO BE SPENT IN STATE

Washington, Dec. 4.—Kentucky furnished 10 per cent. of the total internal revenue collections of the United States government in the fiscal year 1906, which ended on June 30 last. Only three states, Illinois, New York and Indiana excelled her as a revenue producer. The collectors of the old commonwealth turned into the federal treasury the enormous sum of \$24,469,083.68, the aggregate for the country being \$249,102,738. Kentucky stood second in the production of distilled spirits, furnishing 29,645,335 gallons out of a total for the United States of 150,110,197 gallons.

More money was expended in Kentucky during this year in the detection of internal revenue frauds than in any other state, the same being \$10,938.85; the total spent under this head in the country was \$94,280.

Twenty-five registered distilleries were seized in this state, 101 illicit stills seized and 118 illicit distilleries seized and destroyed. The arrests numbered 58; and the amount of spirits seized reached 17,082 gallons; the value of the property seized was \$24,013.20, and the taxes and penalties unpaid were \$56,115.25.

**Money for Kentucky.**  
The treasury department estimates submitted to congress today as a basis of appropriations for the next fiscal year, provided for the following for Kentucky: continuation of erecting public building at Bowling Green \$25,000; completion of building at Lebanon, \$10,000; continuation of building at London, \$20,000; also appropriations for continuing Kentucky buildings as follows: Mayfield, \$15,000; Owensboro, \$5,000; Versailles, \$13,000; Winchester, \$15,000; also the following: for improving falls of Ohio river at Louisville, \$25,000; for improving the Kentucky river in Kentucky, \$174,000.

### HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Palmer—R. W. Morris, St. Louis; H. M. Finley, Muncie, Ind.; L. Schroder, Cincinnati; E. L. Anderson, Cincinnati; W. A. Johnston, Hickman; E. B. Hamblin, Memphis; W. J. Powers, St. Louis; S. H. Crossland, Mayfield; R. Reed, Smithland; T. A. Lancaster, Lexington; M. C. Jackson, Nashville; J. G. Henry, Louisville; W. H. Renfro, Indianapolis; Chas. Patton, Atlanta; F. B. Blackmond, Dowagiac, Mich.; J. H. Wiley, New York.

Belvedere—J. M. Homingford, Cincinnati; F. J. Malone, Cairo, Ill.; J. H. Pfeifer, Cincinnati; H. E. Cogshall, Chicago; W. A. Kelly, Cincinnati; C. E. Clark, Evansville, Ind.; J. F. Hawkins, Nashville; E. Murphy, Louisville; J. M. Martin, Philadelphia.

While the Germans are paying more and more attention to the English language there is a decline of German as a school subject in England.

**Auction! Auction! Warren & Warren, 403 Broadway. Souvenirs for everyone. 2:30 and 7:30 p. m.**

Each stroke of a man's heart occupies about half a second, but the heart rests after each stroke, so that it only makes seventy a minute.

**Auction! Auction! Warren & Warren, 403 Broadway. Souvenirs for everyone. 2:30 and 7:30 p. m.**

No bird can fly backward. The dragon fly, besides outstripping the swiftest bird, flies backward with ease.

**Auction! Auction! Warren & Warren, 403 Broadway. Souvenirs for everyone. 2:30 and 7:30 p. m.**

If you have just a dollar to spend for Christmas for a young lady friend, come see the two quires monogram paper The Sun sells for the price.

**Auction! Auction! Warren & Warren, 403 Broadway. Souvenirs for everyone. 2:30 and 7:30 p. m.**

**TO CURE - COLD IN ONE DAY**  
Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets  
Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W.  
GROVER's signature is on each box. 25c.

## MESSAGE REACHES CONGRESS TODAY

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a law prohibiting corporations from contributing to campaign funds. He also urges the passage of the measure conferring upon the government the right of appeal in criminal cases on questions of law. Continuing, the president says:

I cannot too strongly urge the passage of the bill in question. A failure to pass it will result in seriously hampering the government in its effort to obtain justice, especially against wealthy individuals or corporations who do wrong, and may also prevent the government from obtaining justice for wageworkers who are not themselves able effectively to contest a case where the judgment of an inferior court has been against them. I have specifically in view a recent decision by a district judge leaving railway employees without remedy for violation of a certain so-called labor statute. The importance of enacting into law the particular bill in question is further increased by the fact that the government has now definitely begun a policy of resorting to the criminal law in those trust and interstate commerce cases where such a course offers a reasonable chance of success.

**Proper Use of Injunctions.**  
In my last message I suggested the enactment of a law in connection with the issuance of injunctions, attention having been sharply drawn to the matter by the demand that the right of applying injunctions in labor cases should be wholly abolished. It is at least doubtful whether a law abolishing altogether the use of injunctions in such cases would stand the test of the courts, in which case, of course, the legislation would be ineffective. Moreover, I believe it would be wrong altogether to prohibit the use of injunctions. It is criminal to permit sympathy for criminals to weaken our hands in upholding the law, and if men seek to destroy life or property by mob violence there should be no impairment of the power of the courts to deal with them in the most summary and effective way possible. But so far as possible the abuse of the power should be provided against by some such law as I advocated last year.

**Against Lynching.**  
I call your attention to the need of passing the bill limiting the number of hours of employment of railroad employees. The measure is a very moderate one, and I can conceive of no serious objection to it. Indeed, so far as it is in our power, it should be our aim steadily to reduce the number of hours of labor, with as a goal the general introduction of an eight hour day. There are industries in which it is not possible that the hours of labor should be reduced, just as there are communities not far enough advanced for such a movement to be for their good, or, if in the tropics, so situated that there is no analogy between their needs and ours in this matter. On the isthmus of Panama, for instance, the conditions are in every way so different from what they are here that an eight hour day would be absurd, just as it is absurd, so far as the isthmus is concerned, where white labor cannot be employed, to bother as to whether the necessary work is done by alien black men or by alien yellow men. But the wageworkers of the United States are of so high a grade that alike from the merely industrial standpoint and from the civic standpoint it should be our object to do what we can in the direction of securing the general observance of an eight hour day.

Let me again urge that the congress provide for a thorough investigation of the conditions of child labor and of the labor of women in the United States. The horrors incident to the employment of young children in factories or at work anywhere are a blot on our civilization. In spite of all precautions exercised by employers there are unavoidable accidents and even deaths involved in nearly every line of business connected with the mechanic arts. It is a great social injustice to compel the employee, or, rather, the family of the killed or disabled victim, to bear the entire burden of such an inevitable sacrifice. In other words, society shirks its duty by laying the whole cost on the victim, whereas the injury comes from what may be called the legitimate risks of the trade. Compensation for accidents or deaths due in any line of industry to the actual conditions under which that industry is carried on should be paid by that portion of the community for the benefit of which the industry is carried on—that is, by those who profit by the industry. If the entire trade risk is placed upon the employer, he will promptly and properly add it to the legitimate cost of production and assess it proportionately upon the consumers of his commodity. It is therefore clear to my mind that the law should place this entire "risk of a trade" upon the employer.

### Capital and Labor Disputes.

Records show that during the twenty years from Jan. 1, 1881, to Dec. 31, 1900, there were strikes affecting 117,509 establishments, and 6,105,694 employees were thrown out of employment. During the same period there were 1,005 lockouts, involving nearly 10,000 establishments, throwing over 1,000,000 people out of employment. These strikes and lockouts involved an estimated loss to employees of \$307,000,000 and to employers of \$143,000,000, a total of \$450,000,000. The public suffered directly and indirectly probably as great additional loss.

Many of these strikes and lockouts would not have occurred had the parties to the dispute been required to appear before an unprejudiced body representing the nation and, face to face, state the reasons for their contention. The exercise of a judicial spirit by a disinterested body representing the federal government, such as would be provided by a commission on conciliation and arbitration, would tend to create an atmosphere of friendliness and conciliation between contending parties.

**Control of Corporations.**  
It cannot too often be repeated that the experience has conclusively shown the

newspaper or magazine are the worst enemies of all men who are engaged in an honest effort to better what is bad in our social and governmental conditions.

Corruption is never so rife as in communities where the demagogue and the agitator bear full sway, because in such communities all moral bands become loosened, and hysteria and sensationalism replace the spirit of sound judgment and fair dealing as between man and man. In sheer revolt against the squallid anarchy thus produced men are sure in the end to turn toward any leader who can restore order, and then their relief at being free from the intolerable burdens of class hatred, violence and demagogic is such that they cannot for some time be aroused to indignation against misdeeds of men of wealth, so that they permit a new growth of the very abuses which were in part responsible for the original outbreak. The one hope for success for our people lies in a resolute and fearless but sane and cool headed advance along the path marked out last year by this very congress. There must be a stern refusal to be misled into following either that base creature who appeals and panders to the lowest instincts and passions in order to arouse one set of Americans against their fellows or that other creature, equally base, but no baser, who in a spirit of greed or to accumulate or add to an already huge fortune seeks to exploit his fellow Americans with callous disregard to their welfare of soul and body. The man who debauches others in order to obtain a high office stands on an evil equality of corruption with the man who debauches others for financial profit, and when hatred is sown the crop which springs up can only be evil.

The plain people who think—the mechanics, farmers, merchants, workers with head or hands, the men to whom American standards are dear, who love their country and try to act decently by their neighbors—owe it to themselves to remember that the most damaging blow that can be given popular government is to elect an unworthy and sinister agitator on a platform of violence and hypocrisy.

**Railroad Employees' Hours.**  
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The question is undoubtedly very intricate, delicate and troublesome. The decision of the court was only reached by one majority. It is the law of the land and of course is accepted as such and loudly obeyed by all good citizens.

Nevertheless the hesitation evidently felt by the court as a whole in coming to a conclusion, when considered together with previous decisions on the subject, may perhaps indicate the possibility of devising a constitutional income tax law which shall substantially

accomplish the results aimed at. The difficulty of amending the constitution is so great that only real necessity can justify a resort thereto. Every effort should be made in dealing with this subject, as with the subject of the proper control by the national government over the use of corporate wealth in interstate business, to devise legislation which without such action shall attain the desired end, but if this fails there will ultimately be no alternative to a constitutional amendment.

**Industrial Training.**

Our industrial development depends largely upon technical education, including in this term all industrial education, from that which fits a man to be a good mechanic, a good carpenter or blacksmith to that which fits a man to do the greatest engineering feat. The skilled mechanic, the skilled workman, can best become such by technical industrial education. The far-reaching usefulness of institutes of technology and schools of mines or of engineering is now universally acknowledged, and no less far reaching is the effect of a good building or mechanical trades school, a textile or watchmaking or engraving school.

In every possible way we should help the wageworker who toils with his hands and who must (we hope in a constantly increasing measure) also

impossibility of securing by the actions of nearly half a hundred different state legislatures anything but ineffective chaos in the way of dealing with the great corporations which do not operate exclusively within the limits of any one state. In some method, whether by a national license law or in other fashion, we must exercise, and that at an early date, a far more complete control than at present over these great corporations—a control that will, among other things, prevent the evils of excessive overcapitalization and that will compel the disclosure by each big corporation of its stockholders and of its properties and business, whether owned directly or through subsidiary or affiliated corporations. This will tend to put a stop to the securings of inordinate profits by favored individuals at the expense whether of the general public, the stockholders or the wageworkers. Our effort should be not so much to prevent consolidation as such, but so to supervise and control it as to see that it results in no harm to the people.

Combination of capital, like combination of labor, is a necessary element of our present industrial system. It is not possible completely to prevent it, and if it were possible such complete prevention would do damage to the body politic. What we need is not vainly to try to prevent all combination, but to secure such rigorous and adequate control and supervision of the combinations as to prevent their injuring the public or existing in such form as inevitably to threaten injury, for the mere fact that a combination has secured practically complete control of a necessary of life would under any circumstances show that such combination was to be presumed to be adverse to the public interest. It is unfortunate that our present laws should forbid all combinations instead of sharply discriminating between those combinations which do good and those combinations which do evil. Rebates, for instance, are as often due to the pressure of big shippers (as was shown in the investigation of the Standard Oil company and as has been shown since by the investigation of the tobacco and sugar trusts) as to the initiative of big railroads. The benefits to be derived by the association of farmers for mutual advantage are partly economic and partly sociological.

**Irrigation and Forest Preservation.**

Much is now being done for the states of the Rocky mountains and great plains through the development of the national policy of irrigation and forest preservation. No government policy for the betterment of our internal conditions has been more fruitful of good than this.

**Divorce Legislation.**

I am well aware of how difficult it is to pass a constitutional amendment. Nevertheless, in my judgment, the whole question of marriage and divorce should be relegated to the authority of the national congress. The change would be good from every standpoint. In particular it would be good because it would confer on the congress the power at once to deal radically and efficiently with polygamy, and this should be done whether or not marriage and divorce are dealt with. It is neither safe nor proper to leave the question of polygamy to be dealt with by the several states.

**Merchant Marine.**

Let me once again call the attention of the congress to two subjects concerning which I have frequently before communicated with them. One is the question of developing American shipping. I trust that a law embodying in substance the views or a major part of the views expressed in the report on this subject laid before the house at its last session will be passed. It seems to me that the proposed measure is as nearly unobjectionable as can be.

**The Currency.**

I especially call your attention to the second subject, the condition of our currency laws. The national bank act has ably served a great purpose in aiding the enormous business development of the country, and within ten years there has been an increase in circulation per capita from \$21.41 to \$33.08. For several years evidence has been accumulating that additional legislation is needed. The recurrence of each crop season emphasizes the defects of the present laws. There must soon be a revision of them, because to leave them as they are means to incur liability of business disaster. Since your body adjourned there has been a fluctuation in the interest on call money from 2 per cent to 30 per cent, and the fluctuation was even greater during the preceding six months. The secretary of the treasury had to step in and by wise action put a stop to the most violent period of oscillation.

I do not press any special plan. Various plans have recently been proposed by expert committees of bankers. Among the plans which are possibly feasible and which certainly should receive your consideration is that repeatedly brought to your attention by the present secretary of the treasury, the essential features of which have been approved by many prominent bankers and business men. According to this plan, national banks should be permitted to issue a specified proportion of their capital in notes of a given kind, the issue to be taxed at so high a rate as to drive the notes back when not wanted in legitimate trade. This plan would not permit the issue of currency to give banks additional profits, but to meet the emergency presented by times of stringency.

I do not say that this is the right system. I only advance it to emphasize my belief that there is need for the adoption of some system which shall be automatic and open to all sound banks so as to avoid all possibility of discrimination and favoritism.

The law should be amended so as specifically to provide that the funds derived from customs duties may be created by the secretary of the treasury as he treats funds obtained under the internal revenue laws. There should be a considerable increase in bills of small denominations. Permission should be given banks, if necessary under settled restrictions, to retire their circulation to a larger amount than three millions a month.

**Industrial Training.**

The second international conference of American republics, held in Mexico in the years 1901-02, provided for the holding of the third conference within five years and committed the fixing of the time and place and the arrangements for the conference to the governing board of the bureau of American republics, composed of the representatives of all the American nations in Washington. That board discharged the duty imposed upon it with marked fidelity and pains-taking care, and upon the courteous invitation of the United States of Brazil the conference was held at Rio de Janeiro, continuing from the 23d of July to the 29th of August last. Many subjects of common interest to all the American nations were discussed by the conference, and the conclusions

told with his brain. Under the constitution the national legislature can do but little of direct importance for his welfare save where he is engaged in work which permits it to act under the interstate commerce clause of the constitution, and this is one reason why I so earnestly hope that both the legislative and judicial branches of the government will construe this clause of the constitution in the broadest possible manner.

**Hawaii.**

The needs of Hawaii are peculiar. Every aid should be given the islands, and our efforts should be unceasing to develop them along the lines of a community of small freeholders, not of great planters with coolie tilled estates.

**Alaska.**

Alaska's needs have been partially met, but there must be a complete reorganization of the governmental system, as I have before indicated to you. I ask your especial attention to this. Our fellow citizens who dwell on the shores of Puget sound with characteristic energy are arranging to hold in Seattle the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition. This exposition in its purposes and scope should appeal not only to the people of the Pacific slope, but to the people of the United States, at large.

**Rights of Aliens.**

Not only must we treat all nations fairly, but we must treat with justice and good will all immigrants who come here under the law. Whether they are Catholic or Protestant, Jew or gentile, whether they come from England or Germany, Russia, Japan or Italy, matters nothing. All we have a right to question is the man's conduct. If he is honest and upright in his dealings with his neighbor and with the state, then he is entitled to respect and good treatment. Especially do we need to remember our duty to the stranger within our gates. It is the sure mark of a low civilization, a low morality, to abuse or discriminate against or in any way humiliate such stranger who has come here lawfully and who is conducting himself properly. To remember this is incumbent on every American citizen, and it is of course peculiarly incumbent on every government official, whether of the nation or of the several states.

**Divorce Legislation.**

I am well aware of how difficult it is to pass a constitutional amendment. Nevertheless, in my judgment, the whole question of marriage and divorce should be relegated to the authority of the national congress. The change would be good from every standpoint. In particular it would be good because it would confer on the congress the power at once to deal radically and efficiently with polygamy, and this should be done whether or not marriage and divorce are dealt with.

**Merchant Marine.**

Let me once again call the attention of the congress to two subjects concerning which I have frequently before communicated with them. One is the question of developing American shipping. I trust that a law embodying in substance the views or a major part of the views expressed in the report on this subject laid before the house at its last session will be passed. It seems to me that the proposed measure is as nearly unobjectionable as can be.

# ADVANCE HOLIDAY NEWS

There is nothing like a real good furniture piece for holiday gift giving. What is more sensible for a gift than a useful one, and what is more useful than good furniture? Suggestions are here by the dozens. In this immense stock you will be sure of seeing just exactly what you want as you pass through. You are cordially invited to visit here and look for suggestions. Let us help you.

All articles on which a small deposit is made will be put aside and held for Christmas delivery. Only a few suggestions:



What is nicer for a present? Useful and ornamental.

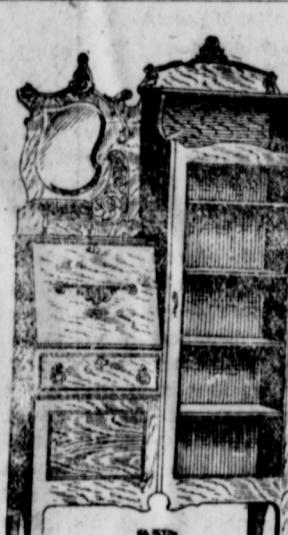
\$1.00 cash, 50c per week.



\$12.50 for one like cut. \$1.00 cash, 50c per week. Prices on the finer ones just as interesting.



Full and overflowing with new and pretty pieces. Here you can get the cheapest porcelain, as well as the daintiest chinas. We make "open stock" sets a feature.



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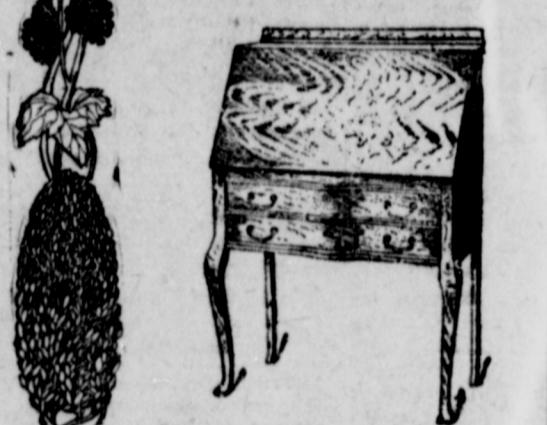
\$9.00 for one complete with extra good springs, forty-bound mattress.

\$1.00 cash, 50c per week.

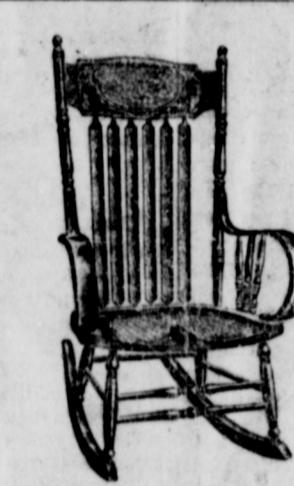


Morris Chairs.

\$5.00 for a nice one, on easy terms. Have it put aside for Christmas.



\$26.00 will get you a solid oak Davenport, rich velour upholstering, something out of the ordinary. \$2.00 cash, 75c per week.



Rockers

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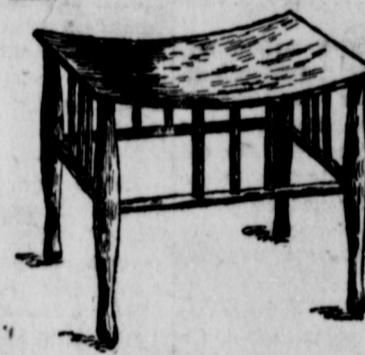
Oak Sideboards

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Music Cabinets

Something every one who has a piano should have. Inspect this line and see how cheap you can get one.



For this Indian

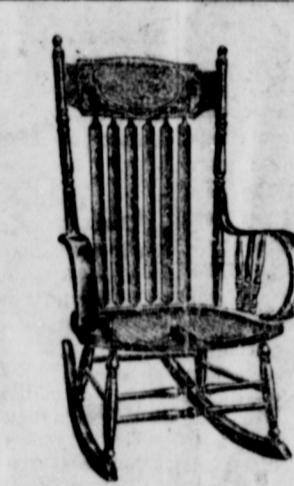
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## WHO IS MISS GREY?

MYSTERIOUS PASSENGER ON ST. PAUL DIES ON SHIPBOARD.

She Was to Meet a Man in New York Who Cannot Be Located—Authorities Puzzled.

New York, Dec. 4.—When the steamer St. Paul, of the American line, docked here today the ship's surgeon reported to the coroner's office the death during the voyage of Miss Agnes Grey, first cabin passenger, sixty-one years old, of 13 Denbigh Terrace, West London. Miss Grey died suddenly of heart failure on Saturday. A stewardess found her lifeless in her stateroom.

She had told the stewardess that she was on her way to this country to settle an estate. She also said that Julius Seymour, a lawyer with an office in William street, was to meet her at the dock, but when the St. Paul reached her dock no friends of the woman could be found. The police also tried to find Mr. Seymour, but were unsuccessful.

The ship's surgeon learned that the woman was wealthy. Neither relatives nor friends appeared today to claim the body and it was permitted to remain on the vessel. The St. Paul officers cabled to the London address given by Miss Grey, but up have received no reply.

The London post office directory for the present year does not contain the name of Miss Agnes Grey. It gives the occupant of 13 Denbigh Terrace, West, as Harry James Johnson.

### POSSE WAS DETERMINED

But Had Nothing More Fearsome to Face Than a Dog.

The soft tread of an unknown intruder in the front room of Ben Franks' residence, 4113 South Fourth street, alarmed the feminine portion

## BAD OPINION

### OF AMERICANS ENTERTAINED BY MEXICANS.

### E. M. Williams Writes of Foreign View of Our Lynchings and Mobs.

Capt. Mike Williams, superintendent of the marine ways, has received a letter from his son, E. M. Williams, who recently went to Monterrey, Mexico, to take the position of superintendent in a rolling mill. In this letter he tells of the opinion in which Americans are held by the general population of Mexico.

After describing a bull fight he witnessed in which one man, five bulls and six horses were killed, and commenting on the temperament of the Mexican people, he tells of their opinion of us.

The lynching mobs with their horrible attendant evils; our great industrial strikes and their violence; the fierceness of some of our election contests; and finally such incidents as the one just occurring at Princeton; have inoculated the minds of the less enlightened Mexicans, but who form the bulk of the people, with the idea that all Americans will shoot them apart, were mixed in the laboratory by a visitor, who examined the plague germs and by mistake placed them in a rack with the serum tubes. This is said to have occurred during the temporary absence of Dr. R. P. Strong, of the bureau of science, who has been conducting experiments in inoculation of persons with cholera serum to test its efficacy. The natives, generally, are in ignorance of the situation, but the foreign papers are indignant and bitter. It is not believed that criminal charges will be preferred, but it is possible that Dr. Strong may resign.

### SUE THE COUNTY

### Is Suggestion of ATTORNEYS CONCERNING Princeton Outrage.

Since the burning of tobacco barns at Princeton, Caldwell county, last week, there has been much speculation as to how the tobacco men will proceed to collect damages. Interest has run high in this problem, and several attorneys have expressed themselves.

"I think that the only logical way to proceed is to sue the county," was

the declaration of one well known man. To sue the county and secure judgment would, of course, work a hardship on some property owners, but in order to have justice done it may be necessary to bring full realization of the enormity of the offense home to some citizens through their pockets."

### GIRL STUDENTS FIRE FIGHTERS

### Turn Out at Midnight and Form a Bucket Brigade at Hindman.

Lexington, Ky. Dec. 4.—Forty young women students of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union school at Hindman, Ky., saved that city from destruction last night when the students' hall of the college burned.

The fire which originated from a cigar stump, was discovered at midnight. Forty young women who roomed in a near by dormitory immediately formed themselves into a fire brigade. With the aid of ladders and ropes a number of them reached the top of the burning hall, where they remained pouring water on the roof until the fire endangered their lives, but they succeeded in preventing the flames from spreading to the surrounding buildings.

An ordinance is being prepared giving the young women a vote of thanks.

Somehow a man is unable to get the idea into his head that a girl with a dimple can be in the intellectual class.

In southern Egypt there is no dew fall, and sometimes only twenty minutes of rain for a whole year.

### Go to Europe Free

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### CUTTING CHARGE

### GOES TO GRAND JURY WITH THE LEAST POSSIBLE DELAY.

### C. Malone, of Murray, Held in Police Court This Morning

—Other Cases Heard.

C. C. Malone, a prominent young man of Murray, was this morning in police court held over to the grand jury for malicious cutting with intent to kill, and ten minutes after court adjourned witnesses in the case were en route to the court house to take the matter up in the grand jury room.

There is little evidence in the case. Gibson Park a carpenter, and Riley Pitman, a blacksmith, were on North Fourth street, near Broadway. Malone and Park got into a controversy ending in Malone's thrusting a knife in Park's back just below the left shoulder. The wound is not serious.

Other cases: John Britt, drunkenness, \$1 and costs; Bill Ford, drunk and disorderly, \$10 and costs; Less Perkins, colored, disorderly conduct, dismissed; B. Carroll, Grace Baty, colored, immorality, continued; Ed. Williams, colored, maliciously cutting Ed. Burriss, continued; Mary Thurman, colored, disorderly conduct, continued.

There are stars so distant that a flying machine moving at the rate of 500 miles an hour would require 500,000,000 years to reach them.

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## CIRCULATION STATEMENT.

November—1906.

1	3932	16	3926
2	4065	17	3939
3	3936	19	3892
5	4066	20	3876
6	3926	21	3864
7	3933	22	3872
8	3980	23	3888
9	4009	24	3897
10	3947	26	3889
12	3958	27	3886
13	4023	28	3893
14	3975	29	3901
15	3968	30	3908
TOTAL		102,888	

Average for November, 1906 .. 3957

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Increase ..... 238

Personally appeared before me, this, Dec. 1, 1906, E. J. Paxton, general manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of Nov., 1906, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

PETER PURYEAR, Notary Public.

My commission expires January 22, 1908.

## Daily Thought.

"You never know what you can do until you try."

## OPENING FOR SOMEBODY.

With the erection of the immense elevator now under construction by the Nashville, Chattanooga &amp; St. Louis Railroad company, the hopes of Paducahans turn toward the acquisition of a flour mill. If there is one industry this city needs and that would pay if properly managed, it is a flour mill. It is estimated that the people of this city spend \$500 a week for this staple. Every cent of this money, except the per cent of profit taken by the dealer, goes out of circulation as far as Paducah is concerned. Hopkinsville has three mills that grind wheat. Most of the wheat is shipped there from Kansas. The mills get a stop over privilege for the wheat. It is taken from the car, ground into flour, repacked in the car and sent on its journey. Paducah is better located for this industry. It has a larger tributary population, better railroad facilities, the river to draw on and a big elevator in course of construction. Some experienced mill man will discover Paducah as a flour town before long, and there is a fortune in waiting for the discoverer.

Commenting on an editorial statement in the Typographical Union Bulletin pointing with pardonable pride to the fact that the Ohio Penitentiary News has suspended publication, because there are no printers in the institution to set type, the O. P. News in a recent issue replies that the source of the pride would have to be "pardonable" if it were true, because the paper has never missed an issue and concludes:

No printers? Ghosts of Gutenberg! Of course there are printers here; plenty of printers here now, always have been since it has been a prison and always will be as long as the prison exists. If anyone can name a community which equals this in size (approximately 1,600) that has no printers — from the rock-bound coast of Maine to the Golden Gate of California, or from the everglades of Florida to the Olympic Mountains of Washington — we should like to know of it — not with any intention of going there, for it would be an undesirable place to stop, even for a short time — but we should like to know just for the information.

Governor Beckham apparently is intent on carrying out his implied promises, made during the recent primary campaign, to enforce the state closing laws, especially in Louisville. There has been much talk of a special session of the legislature to make the existing laws effective, but the governor sensibly has reasoned that law enforcement by municipal governments in the state have not sufficiently tested the statutes to demon-

strate just where they need reinforcement. He desires to make a thorough test. If the state wins, the city government will have before it an example it scarcely will dare to ignore; and, if the state fails, the governor will know just what is lacking and recommend some action to the legislature.

Eighteen ruined girls destitute on the streets, ordered out of Cairo, because they are Paducah's victims, not Cairo's, many of them back here for the city to take care of — this is the condition people breed when they permit such settlements as that which disgraced Kentucky avenue, to thrive in their midst. Out on the avenue now are "Madams," who have grown opulent trafficking in young girls' virtue. They decoy these girls from the country hold them in positive slavery, teach them to drink and the use of drugs, and then when the order comes to discontinue their practices, throw the girls out into the world penniless. It will be a shame if ever these harpies are allowed to resume their feast of sin.

The statement that a Kentucky man picked up a snake thinking it was his pipe sounds improbable. The Kentucky brand doesn't have that effect on the natives — Montgomery Advertiser.

It never does, and, moreover no one ever saw a Kentuckian smoking a pipe that by any stretch of imagination, even the late stages, could be mistaken for a snake. The good old corn-cob isn't that shape — New York Herald.

Dowie is not insane his followers protest and they will oppose the appointment of a guardian for him. Point well taken. When a man is crazy the way Dowie is, the state should appoint a guardian for other people.

Publix service corporations in Paducah will soon be admitted to all the privileges of citizenship. The general council intends to permit them to pay pole tax.

During a quarrel with his landlady a Chicago man bit off her nose. It is wonderful what strength of jaw can be cultivated in some boarding houses.

IN MISSOURI.

A remarkable feature of the recent election in Missouri was the defeat of Senator John F. Morton. For nearly twenty years Senator Morton has been a Democratic leader, and was prominent among those who opposed the nomination of Folk for governor. For twelve years he has been the recognized spokesman and leader of the corporation interests on the floor of the Missouri senate. He is an astute politician and a skilled campaigner. His district, a rural one, is normally Democratic by nearly three thousand. Governor Folk's first campaign speech this year was delivered in Morton's section of the state, and it was there the governor made his first appeal for the election of none but honest men, regardless of party. When Bryan came into the state he was taken into Morton's district, and there, at Carrollton, Missouri, he made a special appeal to the voters in behalf of Senator Morton. The appeal was heard in silence. Not a word was said against Morton in public by any speaker. Apparently there was no concerted effort to defeat him. But the farmers had resolved what to do, and in his own county he lost nearly two thousand Democratic votes. Contrast with this the result in St. Louis. At the opening of the campaign the Republicans were divided, and the Democrats seemed to have an excellent chance to carry the city. The Democratic convention was dominated by friends of the lawless, liquor, race-track and bucket-shop interests, and by attorneys for the public service corporations. To a Democratic judge who had rendered a decision against "The Big Cinch" a renomination was refused, and a corporation tool was placed on the ticket in his stead. Governor Folk's name was publicly hissed in the convention. Among the Democratic nominees, as among the Republicans were found ex-convicts. Governor Folk, in a speech at Fulton, Missouri, stated that if some of the men running on both the Republican and Democratic legislative tickets in St. Louis were sent to Jefferson City, he would instruct the warden of the state prison not to permit the convicts to associate with them. As a result about fifty thousand citizens of St. Louis failed to vote at all, and the Republican ticket was elected. From Collier's for Nov. 24, 1906.

Theodore Shantz says the president took Panama by storm. Is he giving the administration credit for causing the cave-in and the flood in the ditch?

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The crops in the seven provinces of Samara, Samaratov, Semiborsk, Kazan, Penza, Tambov and Ufa were practically total failures. In twenty provinces the harvests were very poor. About 20,000,000 people will need assistance from four to ten months to save off starvation until the new crops are available.

MUST SEGREGATE  
MATURED PUPILSGrown Up Japs Can Not Min-  
gle With Little ChildrenChief Reason Why San Francisco In-  
sists on Running Her  
Own Schools.

## SURPRISED AT JAPS' VIEW

Washington, Dec. 4.—Among senators and representatives who have arrived here for the session — a large percentage of the membership of both houses — the controversy over the treatment of Japanese who desire to attend the public schools in San Francisco overshadows in point of interest every other topic of discussion.

In view of the apparent determination of the local authorities of that city to consider themselves the best judges as to the manner of conducting their schools, the opinion is quite prevalent that whatever solution of the troublesome question is evolved, it cannot be absolutely satisfactory to the government of Japan.

The San Francisco authorities seem to be bent upon at least segregating the Japanese who are approaching have reached the age of maturity from the white children who attend the public schools. California members of congress who have arrived in Washington reflect the resentment which their constituents are manifesting on this question when they say the commingling of Japanese, fully grown, or nearly so, with American girls, of immature age can not and will not be tolerated.

## Causes Astonishment.

To many conspicuous public men here it is rather astonishing that Japan should insist upon this point, especially in view of the fact that in every school district of the United States where adults attend they are separated from the children. They say, as every American knows, that one of the most commendable features of the public school system of the United States is the manner in which pupils of tender age are kept apart from those much older, and even those who are anxious that the controversy be adjusted quickly and satisfactorily to both sides contend that the position of the Japanese government on this point is untenable.

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## Lounging and Bath Robes

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## Six Day Bicycle Race.

The annual six-day bicycle race will

begin at the Madison Square Garden

next Sunday night, with most of the

various national champions entered

for the contest.

PASTOR KEEPS GOLF AND CIGAR  
Effort to Upbraid Ministerial Devotee  
of Links Falls.

Gadsden, Ala., Dec. 4.—Rev.

James A. Duncan, a prominent min-

ister of Birmingham, may continue to

play golf and smoke cigars the while.

The effort in the Methodist confer-

ence for north Alabama, sitting here,

to upbraid him for indulging in the

pastime has failed.

Rev. Mr. Duncan is a daily visitor

to the links in Birmingham and re-

cently engaged in a tournament at

Memphis, winning a loving cup and

playing with such brilliancy that the

daily papers reproduced his photo-

graph, which showed him dressed in

a regulation golf costume and smok-

ing a cigar as he was in the act of

"driving." Bishop Hendrix and Pre-

siding Elder Dobbs called on Dr.

Duncan for a statement. His reply

was that he had never committed an

act in his life that he could not thank

God for. The incident was thus

closed.

Rev. Mr. Duncan resigned from a pulpit

in Chattanooga several years ago,

when his congregation sought to dis-

cipline him for engaging in golf.

## BIT OFF HER NOSE.

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### LOCAL LINES.

—For Dr. Pendley ring 416.

—Dr. Gilbert, Osteopath, 400 1-2 Broadway. Phone 196.

—The burned out electric light in the city hall clock tower has been replaced by a new one, and the clock is once again visible at night. It had been in darkness for a week.

—Dr. J. V. Voris, dentist, 200 Fraternity building.

—Winter dances in the pavilion is a feature the Paducah traction company is offering the public. The dancing pavilion at Wallace park has been inclosed and the floor polished. Heated cars will be run on dance nights and the first dance will be given by Mr. Frank Augustus Thursday night.

—A single or two-letter monogram and two quires of the best grade of linen paper for \$1 is just one of the many splendid offerings in this line at The Sun office.

—O. L. Parker, of Salem, Ky., reported to the police this morning that he had been robbed of his overcoat at the Hart House.

—The most complete line of fancy stationery for Christmas to be found in the city is at The Sun office at prices from 40¢ up.

—Saturday is the third pay day for county teachers. A total of \$4,200 will be handled by S. J. Billington, county superintendent. It is pay for two months.

—Large line unredeemed pledges—Diamonds, high-grade watches, genuine Parker Bros. & Smith shotguns, pistols, etc., at half price. Ike Cohen, 106 S. Second street.

—Mr. Finis Lack was driving his automobile to town from his factory on South Third street at 11:30 o'clock this morning when a rear axle broke. The machine went 40

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## DEATHS OF A DAY

### Little Marion Davidson.

Friends in this city were painfully shocked yesterday to receive the sad news of the death, in Boise, Idaho, of Marion Davidson, only child of Mr. and Mrs. William B. Davidson, of that city, who passed away suddenly early Thanksgiving morning of membranous croup, aged 2 years and 11 months. Little Marion was a precocious child. Mrs. Davidson has a large circle of friends in this city who will deeply sympathize with her in her sad bereavement. She was known here as Miss Hattie Quarles, at one time a teacher in the Franklin school. Little Marion was a niece of Mr. and Mrs. James M. Gaines, of 415 South Third street.

### KILL CHIEF AS PEOPLE LOOK ON

Negro Raiders Rob and Kick Dying Man at Spillertown, Ill.

Spillertown, Ill., Dec. 4.—Four negro raiders late last night fatally shot Chief of Police James Dailey, robbed and kicked the dying man in the presence of a crowd of citizens and escaped. The chief was trying to arrest them single handed. Two negroes who were among the raiders were captured today. Threats of lynching have been freely made, but it is believed the negroes will be allowed to live long enough to testify against their companions, if the latter are caught. There is also talk of running out the imported southern negroes.

### KILLING FOLLOWS LODGE TRIAL.

Hot Springs, Ark., Dec. 4.—A verdict of murder in the first degree was returned today by the coroner's jury in the case of Albert Jackson, who shot and killed Thomas Broughton in Mill's township, near this city. The killing, it is alleged, followed the trial of Broughton in the Masonic lodge the same day on a charge of insulting the wife of Jackson, his shaver.

When Broughton was acquitted he started to his home, but was overtaken and shot down by Jackson, who made good his escape.

### INDIAN LAND QUESTION.

Guthrie, Okla., Dec. 4.—President Murray, of the constitutional committee, today appointed a committee to memorialize congress, requesting the transfer of segregated land in the Indian Territory from federal to state control. The convention considered the advisability of buying these lands but action was deferred until the last of the week.

### Rev. Rawlins Hanged.

Valdosta, Ga., Dec. 4.—The Rev. J. G. Rawlins, and Al Moore, a negro, were hanged in the county jail today for the murder of the Carter children, as the result of a feud between the Rawlins and Carter families. Jesse and Milton Rawlins are sentenced to hang next Friday.

### Grace Church Bazaar.

Friday, December 7, at 1. C. Ticket Office, 510 Broadway, Fancy Articles, Dolls, Cakes, Candies, Dinner and Supper served. Also Afternoon Tea and Chafing Dish Lunch during afternoon. Open from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.

### John Watson.

John Watson, 40, a painter of Jacob's Row, died last night of dropsy and will be buried this afternoon in Oak Grove cemetery. He leaves a wife and several children.

### Mr. and Mrs. J. E. English.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. English and family are in the city and will remain until Christmas. Mr. English, who has been in Puerto for months, will open a commission house in Memphis.

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## People and Pleasant Events

### Musical Reception.

The Matinee Musical club will entertain this evening at the Eagle club house on Broadway with a musical reception. An exceedingly attractive program will be rendered in the gymnasium hall annex by some of the most notable local talent. Those taking part will be: Mrs. James Weille, Mrs. Will Clark, Mrs. George B. Hart, Mrs. Lela Lewis, Mrs. Stanley, Miss Julia Scott, Misses Puryear, Miss Newell, Miss Adah Brazzelton, Miss Mayme Dryfuss, Miss Shelton, Mr. Robert MacMillen, Mr. Emmett Bagby. A reception in the club parlors will follow the program. All musical lovers in the city and friends of the club are cordially invited. It is an open meeting.

**Evening Card Party.**  
Miss Maggie McHenry, of 1210 Tennessee street, entertained at cards last night, after which refreshments were served. Those present were: Mrs. William Ritter, Misses Susie Oberhausen, Dorothy Oberhausen, Mary Easley, Ruby Silver, Laura Oberhausen, Messrs. John Weltlauf, Gus Bischoff, Elmer Brake, Herman Heaven, Harry Silver, John Easley and Ben Scott.

**D. A. R. Meeting Postponed.**  
Paducah chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will not meet on Friday, the regular day, with Mrs. James M. Buckner, as announced. The meeting is postponed indefinitely owing to the absence of the regent Mrs. Hubbard S. Wells from the city.

**Card Party for Debutantes.**  
Mrs. Bradshaw and Mrs. Will Bradshaw of 1438 West Broadway, are giving the first of a series of card parties this afternoon. Miss Katherine Powell, one of the winter's attractive debutantes, is the guest of honor.

**U. D. C. Chapter.**  
Paducah chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, is meeting this afternoon with Mrs. Luke Russell, on West Jefferson boulevard.

**Mr. Joseph P. Smith.**  
Mr. Joseph P. Smith, of New Orleans, is in the city visiting his brother, Mr. James P. Smith, the wholesale grocer.

**Miss Lena Henneberger.** The trained nurse, has returned from Eddyville.

**Local Markets.**  
Dressed Chickens—20¢ to 40¢.  
Eggs—30¢ doz.  
Butter—25¢ lb.  
Sweet Potatoes—per bu. 50¢.  
Country Hams—17¢ lb.  
Irish Potatoes—Per bu. 60¢.  
Green Sausage—10¢ lb.  
Sausage—10¢ lb.  
Country Lard—12¢ lb.  
Celery—\$1.00 dozen  
Turnips—\$1.50 bu.  
Parsnips—\$1.00 bu.  
Green Tomatoes—50¢ basket.  
Turnips—Three for 10¢.  
Lettuce—10¢.  
Spinach—50¢ bu.  
Peas—10¢ qt.  
Rabbits—15¢ each.

**PADUCAH GRAIN MARKET.**  
Wheat—67¢ bu.  
Corn—59¢ bu.  
New Corn—40¢ bu.

**Hay—**From jobbers to retail dealers—Strict grades. Choice Tim. \$18; No. 1 Tim. \$17.50, No. 2 Tim. \$17. Fancy northern clover \$18.

From country wagons at public quality medium to very poor, \$8 to \$17 per ton for various mixtures.

**Mrs. Bessie Brown.** Is visiting here from Princeton.

Ernest L. Bean is running in the place of Engineer Will Burch on the Paducah-Cairo I. C. accomodation passenger train.

Mr. William F. Horton, the well known saddle maker, has gone to Chicago to accept a position in a big leather-working plant as foreman.

Attorney Charles K. Wheeler went to Eddyville, Lyon county, this morning on professional business.

Mr. A. H. Egan, superintendent of the Louisville division of the Illinois Central, is in the city.

Mrs. Mary Strong, of Shawneetown Ill., who has been visiting the family of Mr. William Cremens, of Trimble street, returned home today.

Maj. George W. Saunders, of Mayfield, and son, are in the city today. Major Saunders was formerly deputy United States marshal in this district.

Mr. C. K. Wheeler is in Eddyville attending court today.

Mr. J. W. Fowler, traveling salesman of the S. H. Winstead Medicine

company, at Macon, Ga., is in the city on business.

Mr. R. H. Dale, of near Rossington, is ill from pneumonia.

Mrs. C. H. Blaney has returned from St. Louis, where she spent Thanksgiving with relatives.

Dr. S. A. Bookhamer, of Atlanta, Ga., arrived yesterday to visit his brother, Mr. H. J. Bookhamer, the well known barber.

Mrs. Emmet Holt, of 1239 Trimble street has returned from Hazen, Ark., where she was called by the death of her sister, Miss Lillie Houston, who died of typhoid fever last week.

Mr. Gus Edwards, of the Paducah Light and Fuel company, has resigned and accepted a position as city salesman for the West Kentucky Coal company.

Mr. Monroe Nance, who has been in the west for several years, will leave today for Texas. He has been visiting relatives in Paducah.

Mr. Joe Bishop went to St. Charles today on business.

Captain John Webb went to Henderson this morning on business.

Attorney William Marble went to Princeton this morning on professional business.

Mr. Ambrose Mercer, the well known Illinois Central engineer, went to Central City this morning on a week's hunting trip.

Mrs. W. B. Pace, who is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Muscoe Burnett, in Paducah, is expected home the first of this week.—Louisville Evening Post.

R. W. Morris, of the Seaboard Air line, and T. H. McConnell, of the Norfolk & Western railroads, were in the city today on business for their roads.

### Subcribe for The Sun.

## TODAY'S MARKETS

**Wheat—**Open 78 Close 78 1/2

**Corn—**Open 77 1/2 Close 77 1/2

**May** 43 1/2 43 1/2

**July** 44 1/2 44 1/2

**May** 34 1/2 35 1/2

**Pork—**May 15.17 15.17

**Cotton—**Jan. 10.11 9.98

**Mar.** 10.28 10.17

**May** 10.43 10.30

**Stocks—**I. C. 1.75 1.75

L. & N. 1.47 1.46 1/2

U. P. 1.88 1.86 1/2

Rdg. 1.49 1.47 1/2

St. P. 1.83 1.81 1/2

Mo. P. 95 1/2 94 1/2

Penn. 1.39 1/2 1.39 1/2

Cop. 1.14 1/2 1.13 1/2

Smel. 1.54 1/2 1.52 1/2

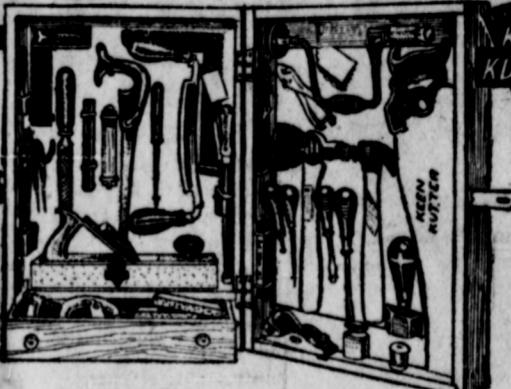
Lead 76 1/2 75 1/2

C. F. I. 55 1/2 55 1/2

U. S. P. 1.05 1.05

U. S. 48 1/2 47 1/2

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## RENT FOR POLES IN CITY STREETS

Provided For In Measure Introduced In Council.

Mayor's Office Hours Abolished—Stock Catcher Made Permanent—Street Work.

## A NEW LICENSE ORDINANCE

Six new ordinances were brought in at the meeting of the council last night, the most important of which was one fixing a pole rental for telegraph and telephone companies in the city at \$2 each a year.

The other five ordinances were several for new sidewalks on Seventeenth street from Broadway to Jefferson street; similar improvements on Eighth street from Washington street to Clark street, but was referred back to the committee for extension to Tennessee street; the mayor's office hours were abolished; the position of stock catcher was made permanent; and for the reconstruction of Jefferson street and Broadway from Ninth street to Eleventh street, with asphalt, bituminous, or vitrified paving block.

A new ordinance to extend the fire limits from Fifth street to Seventh street, was ordered brought in; the mayor was instructed to sign the bond the city must give in appealing the Crutchfield and Lander damage suits; a new license ordinance was ordered brought in; the mayor's suggestion that firemen not be required to furnish bonds was referred to the police and fire committee; the resolution of the board of aldermen deferring the execution of an order compelling billboards to be set back the distance of their height from pavements, except where they are against a wall, was concurred in.

A protest at the telephone rate was received and filed; a petition from the Home of the Friendless managers was received and acted upon; the action of the board of aldermen in ordering paid the damages in the suit of Mrs. Cornelia Johnson was ratified; the fire chief's report for the month was filed, as was the milk inspector's report.

The ordinance taxing telegraph poles and telephone poles includes both the ones at present occupying public streets, alleys and property, and all erected in the future. Failure to comply with the ordinance will be followed by the revocation of the license of the person, firm or corporation guilty, but this penalty applies only during 1907. The rules were suspended and the ordinance given second passage.

The ordinance abolishing office hours for the mayor also was given second passage, as was the ordinance making permanent the position of stock catcher at a salary of \$75 a month.

**Extending Fire District.**  
The fire limit ordinance will be drawn so as to give the fire chief power to order all wooden outhouses torn down in the fire district, in addition to extending it out two blocks from Fifth street to Seventh street.

The resolution of the board of aldermen to have the joint license and ordinance committee to meet with the city solicitor and go over the license ordinances with the object of revising them, was concurred in.

Mayor Yelser stated that he did not think it necessary to require the firemen to give bonds as they did not handle any money. He thought it was an useless expense. His suggestion was referred to the fire and police committee.

J. L. Copeland, who bought out the Terrell livery stable on Jefferson street, petitioned the board to act in regard to the rate charged him and the one charged the former proprietors. He alleged that they were charged \$2.50 a month for the same service he is charged \$4. Mayor Yelser recommended that the petition be received as the city has not the power to interfere in telephone rate-making. The complaint was against the East Tennessee Telephone company.

**Money for Home.**  
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Little grains of uric acid become lodged on the valves of the heart so that after each beat the valves cannot close properly. This forces the heart to work twice as hard. Often very little pain is experienced but death comes in a flash. Frequently these little grains of uric acid break away from the heart, lodge in the brain and paralysis results.

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stitution, the board of lady managers of the Home of the Friendless asked that the appropriation to that institution be increased. The petition was referred to the new council, but for the month of December the Home was allowed \$30 extra. The present appropriation is \$70 a month.

The license inspector was instructed to collect or get out warrants for all persons, firms or corporations who have not paid their licenses. An ordinance to improve an alley between Third and Fourth streets was ordered brought in, and a complaint of excessive assessment from Will Roark in Chamblin and Murray's addition was referred to the supervisors.

The report of the finance committee showed that the city had a balance November 30 of \$45,308.48. \$22,807.03 was paid out during the month the large amount being due to the school assessment and the electric plant. Ten members were present at the meeting.

Councilman Herzog and Val Meter were the only absentees.

## NEWS OF KENTUCKY

### Will Not Sit on Lid.

Louisville, Dec. 4.—Governor J. C. W. Beckham has called upon Commonwealth's Attorney J. M. Huffaker, of Jefferson county, to carry out a program for enforcing Sunday closing, and Commonwealth's Attorney Huffaker, by a letter written to the governor today, in effect, declines to sit on the lid. The governor outlined his plan of proceeding through the Commonwealth's attorney's office as follows:

That the Commonwealth's attorney's office should request the governor to appoint counsel to assist him in bringing penal suits against the local saloonkeepers. These actions are damage suits brought in the civil courts and in the name of the state, and the governor is said to have expressed himself as willing to make appointments of counsel to assist in this extra work.

### Night Riders Appear.

Owensboro, Ky., Dec. 4.—The night riders have made their appearance in the vicinity of Owensboro. Last night about 9 o'clock the big barn of James Wilson, an anti-Equity society man, was destroyed by flames, and all of the contents of the building were also consumed, including twenty-nine mules, two horses, 200 bushels of oats, 200 bushels of corn and fifty tons of hay.

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## OLD FORT MASSAC MONUMENT PLANS

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Will Have Shaft 32 Feet High, and  
Bear Historic Names and  
References.

## PLAYED A PROMINENT PART.

Plans for the accepted design of the granite monument to be erected by the Daughters of the American Revolution on the site of old Fort Massac, near Metropolis, Massac county, have been received by Mrs. M. T. Scott, of Bloomington, who is chairman of the committee of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

The shaft will be 32 feet in height, and on each of the four sides near the top will be the coat of arms of the four nations which occupied the territory in succession. Also upon the sides of the shaft will be placed, in bronze the names of General George Rogers Clark and each of his band of 168 men. The monument will be dedicated next spring and the event will be a notable climax to the work of restoring the historical locality.

Fort Massac has a large place in the early history of Illinois, and around it have clustered numerous traditions and legends. It marked the pivotal in the long campaign made by General Clark against the British and their Indian allies. Had it not existed, the victories of Vincennes, Cahokia and Kaskaskia would not have been recorded. It was the means of securing for all time, the results of General Clark's expedition into the Wabash and Illinois territory. In its construction the fort marked the first steps in the acquisition of the vast expanse out of which were cut the states of Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan, Wisconsin and a part of Minnesota.

The best treatment for indigestion and trouble of the stomach is to rest the stomach. It can be rested by a good digestant. Kodol puts the stomach in shape to satisfactorily perform its functions. Good for indigestion, sour stomach, flatulence, palpitation of the heart and dyspepsia. Kodol is made in strict conformity with the National Pure Food and Drug Law. Sold by Lang Bros.

### Notice to Contractors.

The board of public works will receive bids on Wednesday, December 12, at 3 o'clock for the improvement of Nineteenth street, and Guthrie avenue, from Broadway to the Mayfield road, and Boyd street from Sixth to Seventh, by grading and graveling, as per plans and specifications on file in the city engineer's office, under ordinances governing same.

### BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.

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# THE REFUGEES

By A. CONAN DOYLE,  
Author of "The Return of Sherlock Holmes."

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"On my life, justice seems to be administered in a strange fashion in the city of Paris!" exclaimed the king.

"And yet there may be a very good reason for it," suggested Pere la Chaise. "I would suggest that your majesty should ask this man his name, his business and why it was that the dragoons were quartered upon him."

"You hear the reverend father's question."

"My name, sire, is Catinat, by trade I am a merchant in cloth, and I am treated in this fashion because I am of the Reformed church."

The king shook his head and his brow darkened. "You have only yourself to thank, then. The remedy is in your hands."

"And how, sire?"

"By embracing the only true faith."

"I am already a member of it, sire."

The king stamped his foot angrily. "I can see that you are a very insolent heretic," said he. "There is but one church in France, and that is my church. If you are outside that you cannot look to me for aid."

"My creed is that of my father, sire, and that of my grandfather."

"If they have sinned it is no reason why you should. My own grandfather erred also before his eyes were opened."

"But he nobly atoned for his error," murmured the Jesuit.

"Then you will not help me, sire?"

"You must first help yourself."

The old Huguenot stood up with a gesture of despair, while the king continued on his way, the two ecclesiastics on either side of him murmuring their approval into his ears.

But the king bore the face of a man who was not absolutely satisfied with his own action.

"You do not think, then, that these people have too hard a measure?" said he. "I hear that they are leaving my kingdom in great numbers."

"And surely it is better so, sire, for what blessing can come upon a country which has such stubborn infidels within its boundaries?"

"Those who are traitors to God can scarce be loyal to the king," remarked



"I can see that you are a very insolent heretic," said he.

Bossuet. "Your majesty's power would be greater if there were no temple, as they call their dens of heresy, within your dominions."

"My grandfather has promised them protection. They are shielded, as you well know, by the edict which he gave at Nantes."

"But it lies with your majesty to undo the mischief that has been done."

"And how?"

"By recalling the edict."

"And driving into the open arms of my enemies 2,000,000 of my best artisans and of my bravest servants. How say you, Louvois?"

"With all respect to the church, sire, I would say that the devil has given these men such cunning of hand and of brain that they are the best workers and traders in your majesty's kingdom. I know not how the state coffers are to be filled if such taxpayers go from among us."

"But," remarked Bossuet, "if it were once known that the king's will had been expressed your majesty may rest assured that even the worst of his subjects bear him such love that they would hasten to come within the pale of the holy church."

The king shook his head. "They have always been stubborn folk," said he.

"Perhaps," remarked Louvois, glancing maliciously at Bossuet, "were the bishops of France to make an offering to the state of the treasures of their sees we might then do without these Huguenot taxes."

"The kingdom is mine and all that is in it," remarked Louis as they entered the grand salon in which the court assembled after chapel, "yet I trust that it may be long before I have to claim wealth of the church. Where is Mansard? I must see his plans for the new wing at Marly."

"I think," said Pere la Chaise, drawing Bossuet aside, "that your grace has made some impression upon the king's mind."

"With your powerful assistance, fa-

## WITNESSES NEED TO BE PROTECTED

Governor May Be Asked To Send Troops

Cattle Buyer Stopped By Mob May Be Summoned as Well as Police and Operators.

## CIRCUIT CLERK THREATENED

Princeton, Ky., Dec. 4.—There is considerable talk of asking Governor Beckham to send troops here, not so much to prevent another outrage as to give protection to those who are willing to tell what they know concerning the events of Saturday morning. It is believed that much more information can be gathered with the soldiers on the ground than could be gleaned without their presence, as it is realized that the police would be powerless in case of any concerted action on the part of the men who took part in the outrage.

Among those who have been called upon to give evidence are the three policemen who were disarmed by the masked men, the two telephone girls who were forced to leave their posts, the telegraph operator and scores of citizens who heard the members of the mob in its wild midnight rush through the streets of Princeton.

Shipton Pettit, a well known cattle buyer, living in Caldwell county, near this place, is expected to be one of the most important witnesses. He was coming into town shortly after midnight Saturday morning, when he was met by a party of the "night riders," who ordered him to turn back. As Mr. Pettit is well acquainted in the neighborhood, it is believed that he recognized some of the members of the party, and he is reported to have said that he thought he could identify several of the men.

**Trouble Feared.** Another important witness will be L. L. Levile, a tobacco man of Hopkinsville, who had heard recently that the riders had planned to destroy a number of large stemmerys.

The people of Princeton are still worked up to the highest pitch and the more timid of them are unable to sleep at night. The fear of the citizens of this place is in the effect of his unsuccessful appeal. Now they tramped across together to where he was standing and broke brutally into the current of his thoughts.

"Now, Hymnbooks," said one gruffly, "get off again about your business."

The old Huguenot shot a glance of anger and contempt at them and was turning to go when one of them thrust at his ribs with the butt end of his pistol.

"Take that, you dog!" he cried. "Would you dare to look like at the king's guard?"

"Children of Bellal!" cried the old man, with his hand pressed to his side, "were I twenty years younger you would not have dared to use me so."

"Ha, you would still spit your venom, would you? That is enough, Andre! He has threatened the king's guard. Let us seize him and drag him to the guardroom."

The two soldiers dropped their bayonets and rushed upon the old man, but tall and strong as they were, they found it no easy matter to secure him. They had hardly won their pitiful victory, however, before a stern voice and a sword flashing before their eyes compelled them to release their prisoner once more.

It was Captain de Catinat, who, his morning duties over, had strolled out on the terrace and had come upon this sudden scene of outrage. At the sight of the old man's face he gave a violent start and, drawing his sword, had rushed forward with such fury that the two guardsmen not only dropped their victim, but staggering back from the threatening sword, one of them slipped and the other rolled over, a revolting mass of blue coat and white kersey.

"Villains!" roared de Catinat. "What is the meaning of this?"

The two had stumbled to their feet again, very shamefaced and ruffled.

"If you please, captain," said one, snarling, "this is a Huguenot who abused the royal guard."

"His petition had been rejected by the king, captain, and yet he refused to go."

He Catinat was white with fury. "And so when a French citizen comes to have a word with the great master of his country he must be harassed by two Swiss dogs like you!" he cried. "By my faith, we shall soon see about that!"

He drew a little silver whistle from his pocket, and at the shrill summons an old sergeant and half a dozen soldiers came running from the guardroom.

"Sergeant, you will arrest these men."

"Certainly, captain," said the sergeant.

"See that they are tried today for assaulting an aged and respected citizen who had come on business to the king."

"He was a Huguenot on his own confession," cried the culprits together.

"Hum!" the sergeant pulled doubtfully at his long mustache. "Shall we put the charge in that form, captain? Just as the captain pleases."

(To be Continued.)

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## WILL ASTONISH CITY WITH FRAUD

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## REPORT IS NOT YET READY.

San Francisco, Dec. 4.—Douglas Young, accountant, who has been retained by Henry and Burns to investigate the accounts of the various city officials, has been at work for several days on the books of Auditor S. W. Hortion. The result is the discovery of frauds which, he says, will astonish the city when they are revealed.

The extent of the frauds committed has not yet been determined, and, although the investigation will be pursued this week and three departments—the board of public works, the assessor's office and the city treasurer's office—will be subjected to the strictest investigation, the frauds are so extensive that the experts have reported they are unable to tell when they began and where they will end.

**Trace Frauds Early.**

The accounts of all the departments of the municipal government have to be passed by the auditor's office, and it will require some time to check up all the books and accounts. Probably as soon as Young begins his investigation into the affairs of Auditor Hortion's office it is announced, he discovered evidence of fraud. The system of passing illegal demands of various city departments through the auditor's office seems to have been in force for a long time. One item is for \$109,000 for stationery for various city departments. This is about twice what it should be.

The department of public works reeks with graft. Maestretti, who was head of it until recently, when he was deposed, has confessed all he knows, and some of his revelations connect Ruef with a percentage on teaming bills and other accounts. Probably indictments will be found Tuesday in the Belvedere and brothel cases. The evidence is far more complete than the grafters suspect, and Ruef and Herbert Schmitz will figure among the indicted.

**Denies Bribery Story.**

Referring to dispatches appearing in eastern papers concerning the report that Supervisor Sanderson, of San Francisco, had made a confession of bribery in various matters connected with the board of supervisors, including the granting of the so-called overhead trolley rights to the United Railways, Tiley L. Ford, general counsel of the United Railways, today said:

"Mr. Sanderson could not have made any confession respecting bribery in connection with our overhead trolley rights, for there was no bribery to confess. These rights were granted to the United Railways shortly after the earthquake and fire in San Francisco in response to a universal demand for the resumption of street railway operation by the then only means available, which was the overhead trolley.

The Chattanooga lingered until today at noon before leaving for the city whose name she bears.

The Dick Fowler had a good trip to Cairo this morning and came in last night with a good trip.

The Buttowill will arrive from Nashville tonight late and leave Wednesday at noon for Clarksville.

The Russell Lord left today with a tow of ties from the Ayer-Lord Tie company for St. Louis.

The John Hopkins was in and out on time this morning in the Evansville trade.

The City of Terre Haute is doing harbor work now.

The busiest boats on the river here are the Mary N. and the Fannie Wallace. Every morning a thrilling incident of river life to at least two boat crews, is the race of these two boats to the sand dock. The first one there gets the job of towing the sand digger across to the sand bar or up the Tennessee after gravel.

**Official Forecasts.**

The Ohio at Evansville and Mt. Vernon, will continue falling quite rapidly during the next two days. At Paducah and Cairo, will continue falling rapidly during the next several days.

"I'm not going to let any old third reader boss me like that!" Rochester Herald.

**Senator Cockrell Dying.**

Washington, Dec. 4.—Former Senator Francis M. Cockrell, member of the interstate commerce commission, is desperately ill at his home in this city. Other members of the commission, who have tried to see the senator during the last two weeks, sadly declare that he will never again be able to take up his work as a member of that body. In fact, his friends and the members of his family fear that his death is only a matter of a short time.

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## PARISH CHURCH MATTER SETTLED

Filipino Aspirant Loses Case  
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Refuses to Recognize Rights of Unorthodox Organization to  
Property.

VOLCANO GOOD FOR COFFEE

Washington, Dec. 4.—The decision of the Philippine supreme court concerning the ownership of the parish church and convention, or parsonage, in the town of Lagonoy, Luzon, is a death blow to the schism led by Aglipay, the self-anointed, self-appointed archbishop of the so-called National Catholic church of the Philippine archipelago. This sect or schism was organized by a native priest, who was chaplain in chief of the insurgent army under Aguinaldo and who fell with the Spanish archbishop because of his participation in the rebellion. It was a "patriotic" movement, with more politics than piety, and has been gradually subsiding for more than a year and a half, as the "independence" conspiracies have failed and the personal character of Aglipay has become known to his followers. He is a bright, superficial, plausible and ambitious young man, and his plan has been to organize a national church independent of the pope, with himself as the high priest. He even had the audacity to invite the Protestant clergy of the Philippines to join him, and a memorable conference was held one day at the headquarters of the American Bible Society at Manila. He proposed that Bishop Brent of the Episcopal church and the other Protestant pastors should join his movement and persuade the American government to confiscate all of the Roman Catholic property, drive out all the Roman Catholic priests and found an independent church for the Philippines, of which they, the gentlemen present, should constitute the hierarchy and share the usufruct.

**Volcano Helps Coffee Crop.**  
Washington, Dec. 4.—Colonel Willard P. Tisdell, who has been in charge of the American railway interests in Guatemala for many years, is now in Washington recuperating from a severe illness, but expects to return to Central America as soon as he is fully recovered. He reports that Guatemala is now very prosperous. The coffee crop this year is the largest ever gathered and there will be between 700,000 and 800,000 bags for export. The price is low, ranging from 8 to 15 cents a pound, according to quality, but that will pay a profit. As coffee is the chief staple, a good crop means as much to Guatemala as a large crop of cotton does to our southern states. The only other exports are hides, cabinet woods, and a little rubber. The coffee district suffered terribly from a volcanic eruption three years ago at the same time that Mount Pelee in the Island of Martinique exploded, but has fully recovered. Many square miles of coffee groves were buried in ashes from the volcano Santa Maria, but what was supposed to be a calamity has turned out to be a blessing, for volcanic ashes make the very best of fertilizers and have produced unusually large crops. The loss of life was enormous. Nobody will ever know how many Indians were killed by the eruption. Quezaltenango, the second city in Guatemala was almost entirely destroyed. It suffered as much as San Francisco in proportion to its size and population, but is rapidly recovering and is being rebuilt upon an even better basis than before.

### COPULE WED.

Bride of 71 and Groom of 70 Bring  
Together Large Family.

Sterling, Ill., Dec. 4.—A bride and groom whose combined ages are 141 years and whose mutual plights of troth bring 34 children into the same happy family are the features of a wedding here today which united William Evers and Mrs. Agnes Rivert. Mr. Evers is 70 years and the bride did not blush when she admitted to the license clerk yesterday that she is four times 17, with three years to spare. Mr. Evers and his bride are both residents of Manlius, Bureau county.

### SOLDIERS PUT OUT FIRE.

Vallajo, Cal., Dec. 4.—After a hard battle enlisted men and workmen last night extinguished a fire on Mare Island which threatened total destruction.

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### WINS 4,800 CONverts IN YEAR.

Rev. Charles R. Scovill, of Chicago,  
Makes Record as Evangelist.

Richmond, Ind., Dec. 4.—Rev. Charles Reign Scovill, of Chicago an evangelist who for some months has been laboring in Indiana, and has made a most remarkable record the last year, having brought 4,800 persons into the church. At Anderson there were 1,261 converts and at Indianapolis about 1,400, while the others are divided among Connersville, Ind., New York City, Long Branch and San Bernardino, Cal.; Atchison, Kan.; Monroe, Wis., and Sullivan, Ill. Mr. Scovill is now leading a revival at Indianapolis. He is intent on securing the erection of an institutional church there and has already raised several thousand dollars toward it.

### INVESTORS TO GET \$250,000.

Securities Deposited by Defunct Company Given to Receiver.

Lexington, Ky., Dec. 4.—Henry Bosworth, state treasurer, has turned over to J. C. Rogers, receiver of the Southern Mutual Investment company and the American Reserve Bond company, \$250,000 worth of securities which were deposited in the state treasury for the protection of the investors. The transfer was made on Wednesday last, but for some reason it was kept secret until today.

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## TOMB OF CICERO UNEARTHED?

Discovery Made at Formiae, Where Roman Orator Was Assassinated.

Naples, Dec. 4.—What would appear to be a most important archaeological discovery has been made at Formiae, near which place Cicero was assassinated nearly twenty centuries ago. This discovery consists of remains which are thought to be the tomb of the great orator. They stand on a hill dominating both the Appian and Herculaneum ways.

### INSANE MAN THREATENS HARRIMAN.

Washington, Dec. 4.—Brooke Mackall, 60 years old, a well known retired real estate man, was arrested at his home in this city late tonight because of threats he is alleged to have made against President E. H. Harriman and other officials of the Union Pacific railroad.

### FRISCO HAS BAD FIRE.

San Francisco, Dec. 4.—Fire which started in a temporary building in the down town district this morning caused the loss of \$100,000. Most of the property was well insured.

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